



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231  
www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 9012

<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b> 09/942,010	<b>FILING DATE</b> 08/29/2001 <b>RULE</b>	<b>CLASS</b> 713	<b>GROUP ART UNIT</b> 2131	<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</b> CR00286M	
<b>APPLICANTS</b> Thomas S. Messerges, Schaumburg, IL; Ezzat A. Dabbish, Cary, IL; Larry Puhl, West Dundee, IL; Dean Vogler, Algonquin, IL;					
<b>** CONTINUING DATA *****</b> THIS APPLN CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/284,739 04/18/2001      A.S					
<b>** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *****</b> None      A.S					
<b>IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED</b> <b>** 10/04/2001</b>					
Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no Met after Allowance Verified and Acknowledged <i>A. Shevlat</i> Examiner's Signature Initials		<b>STATE OR COUNTRY</b> IL	<b>SHEETS DRAWING</b> 11	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> 53	<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> 5
<b>ADDRESS</b> 22917					
<b>TITLE</b> System and method for secure and convenient management of digital electronic content					
<b>FILING FEE RECEIVED</b> 1594	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:		<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit		